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The season now passing, notwithstanding its drawbacks, has been with us unprecedentedly successful.

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We now consider ourselves between Seasons, and feel it incumbent upon us to again thank our patrons for their most generous response to the special sales inaugurated by us, and assure them of our most earnest appreciation.

We fully understand that to sell unsatisfactory merchandise is to "sell" the customer, hence the cardinal principle of our business: "Whatever you buy of us not proving entirely satisfactory, return it at once and we will cheerfully refund the price paid."

While many of our customers are leaving and have left the city for the summer, there are thousands who have not, and do not intend leaving; being satisfied with "the city of magnificent distances," with its beautiful parks, its shaded streets and easily accessible resorts up and down the lovely Potomac. To those who have left we suggest, possibly unnecessarily, remember our thoroughly organized and splendidly equipped

"Mail Order Department,"

through which we give you the same attention as though you were purchasing in person. To those who have not, and do not anticipate leaving, we would say: There is in every branch of business many lines of goods which must be sold in August, and as a house carrying no goods over from one season to another must close out these lines while in season, we shall now devote our entire attention to such lines.

These goods we shall bring forward from time to time, as the occasion demands, and mark them at such prices as will commend themselves to the public as exceptionally good values in every sense of the word. Meanwhile, all the "Odd Lines," which were reduced, and not entirely disposed of, will be held at the prices previously advertised, and are well worthy the attention of the entire trade as genuine bargains.

As an inducement to the gentlemen we have to-day decided to close out our line of

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GOVERNMENT GOSSIP

OFFICIAL AND UNOFFICIAL AND ABOUT THE DEPARTMENTS.

More Appointments. Mr. Lamar's New Order Concerning Sick Leave. Callers at the White House. Prospective Changes in the Second Auditor's Office. Naval Cadet Appointed.

The President to-day made the following appointments:
Alexander M. Wallace, of Georgia, surveyor of customs for the port of Atlanta, Georgia.

Postmasters: A. E. Baddecker, Montrose, Col.; E. V. Wharton, Yates, Conn.; A. O. Bristol, Pasadena, Cal.; W. K. Van Skiver, Beverly, N. J.; G. A. Paxton, Valentine, Neb.; M. J. Alwens, Belleville, Kan.; Harman Freygang, Angola, Ind.; B. L. Long, Greenville, Ala.; Mrs. M. E. Pender, Tarborough, N. C.; D. L. La Grange, Port Richmond, N. Y.; Juliette M. Jones, Cambridge City, Ind.; E. A. Schaffley, Orangeburg Court House, S. C.

Another Lawyer Suspended. Charles L. Skinner of Baltimore was today suspended from practice before the Interior Department for demanding illegal fees in pension cases.

Death of an Army Officer. Captain Orasmus B. Boyd, Eighth Cavalry, died July 23 in camp near Grafton, in Northwestern New Mexico. He served in the volunteers from 1861 to 1863, when he resigned to enter West Point.

Aide-de-Camp Appointed. First Lieutenant Edward J. McClelland, Second Cavalry, has been detailed as aide-de-camp to Brigadier-General John Gibbon, and ordered from San Francisco to Vancouver Barracks, Washington Territory, to report for duty.

The President's Callers. Among the President's callers to-day were Senators Call and Colquitt, Representatives Le Fevre, Ward, Spriggs, Weaver, King and Glover; T. C. Hughes of Arizona, John Folsom of California, M. D. Ball of Alaska, John W. Fox of New York, Consul Ingraham, T. S. West and John K. West, and Colonel Robert Christy.

A Treasury Sensation. The latest addition to the list of Treasury surprises and sensations is the report that receives credence in many directions that there is to be a general clearing out of the Second Auditor's office as a result of charges of inefficiency and incompetency. It is rumored that a great many changes will be made. The first step has been to request the resignations of the six chiefs of division, but this action is not considered as reflecting upon all of those officers.

Late Appointments Yesterday. The President made the following appointments late yesterday afternoon: To be United States consuls: Alexander H. Shipley of New York to be United States consul at Auckland; J. L. McCaskill of Mississippi at Dublin; Joseph Falkenberg of Ohio at Bremen, and James Wheelock of New York at Fort Erie, Can. To be collector of internal revenue: Andrew Welsh for the second district of Illinois; Maurice Kelly for the fourth district of Illinois; and Joseph M. Morrow for the sixth district of Wisconsin.

A Naval Cadet Appointed. The President has appointed Joseph Nicholson Harris of Baltimore as a cadet at Annapolis in place of young Kinsborough, who failed to pass the examination for admission. This is the last appointment which President Harrison will make to the Academy unless some casualty occurs. The new appointee is a descendant of the Nicholson family, which has contributed nearly twenty distinguished officers to the United States Navy, since 1795 there has always been at least one representative of the family enjoying rank and distinction in the Navy.

Orders to Clerks. The following War Department orders have been issued: "No articles of any kind whatever will be thrown from the windows of the War Department building. Any person violating this rule will be reported for such action as may be deemed necessary. Ink bottles and other articles, which, if broken might deface the building, must not be placed on the window sills, and nothing will be placed in the corridors. Smoking, discussions or loud talking during office hours is strictly prohibited. Clerks in charge of rooms will be held responsible that this circular is rigidly observed."

Death of Lieutenant Nye. Secretary of State Bayard has received a telegram announcing the death at Lima, Peru, of Lieutenant Nye, naval attaché of the United States Legation at that place. Lieutenant Nye had been ordered to accompany the remains of the late Minister Phelps to the U. S., and was to have left on the 11th inst. No particulars are given. Secretary Whitney has ordered the United States ship Shenandoah to convey the remains of Minister Phelps and Lieutenant Nye to Panama, where they will be transferred to a Pacific Mail steamer and brought to New York. Minister Phelps' remains will be brought to Washington and Lieutenant Nye's will probably be interred in New York.

Consuls to be Retained. The President has decided to retain the following United States consuls on account of their excellent records: J. A. Stewart, at Antwerp, Belgium; H. J. Sprague (who has been at his post since 1848), at Gibraltar; E. S. Clifton, at Godelegh, Canada; Oscar M. Linnas, at Leith, England; William Thompson, at Southampton, England; R. J. Stevens (formerly clerk House Appropriations Committee), at Victoria, B. C.; Philip Carroll, at Palermo, Italy; R. O. Williams (Consul-General) at Havana, and C. C. Ford (commercial agent), at Soja la Grande. Jasper Smith, formerly commercial agent at Nottingham, has been transferred to Newcastle-on-Tyne, and Secretary Bayard has appointed G. S. Williams at Nottingham. Mr. Williams is a resident of Western New York.

Absences on Sick-Leave. The following order in regard to leaves of absence in the Interior Department was issued to-day by Secretary Lamar: Leave of absence with pay, on account of sickness, will not be granted for a longer period than thirty days in any calendar year. The necessity for such sick-leave must be fully established by medical evidence and to the satisfaction of the officers of the Department. Department orders of January 1st, 1883, and April 22d, 1884, are hereby modified accordingly. This order does not affect the annual leave for thirty days which may be granted under the provisions of the Act of March 3d, 1883.

Higgins to be Succeeded. Mr. George W. Albright of Albany was appointed yesterday to the position of skilled laborer in the Sixth Auditor's office of the Treasury, the best position available to which Secretary Manning could appoint him without official service examination, and was immediately detailed to duty in the Appointment Division, and assumed a place at Appointment Clerk Higgins' desk, usually occupied by Mr. George Rose, assistant appointment clerk. As the position of assistant chief of division is one included in the civil service classification, it is generally believed that Mr. Albright is not to succeed Mr. Rose, but that he is familiarizing himself with the duties of the office preliminary to becoming Appointment Clerk in place of Mr. Higgins.

Minor and Personal. Consul Mason has informed the State Department that there is no cholera in France.

The Postmaster-General this afternoon appointed about 150 postmasters for the fourth class.

The resignation of E. P. Champlin, receiver of public moneys at Deadwood, Dak., has been accepted.

Nicholas Carr of Montezuma, Iowa, has been appointed a special agent of the General Land Office at \$1,500.

H. R. Chase of Peoria, Ill., has been appointed superintendent of the Industrial School for Indians at Geneva, Neb., at a salary of \$1,500, vice S. F. Tappan, removed.

J. R. Wilson of Jackson, Tenn., has been appointed superintendent of the Indian warehouse in New York city at a salary of \$1,800, vice H. W. Stevens of Ohio, removed.

Commissioner J. D. C. Atkins left yesterday evening for a short vacation. He will probably be absent a month, during which time General A. B. Shaw, chief clerk, will be Acting Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

Appeals have been made to the State Department to intercede in favor of an American named Hamilton, alias Rivers, whom his friends said, was to be executed for murder without trial in Mexico. Official inquiry brought out the information that Hamilton has been tried and sentenced to twenty years imprisonment.

Four Wills Filed. The will of the late Charles McDougal, Lieutenant Colonel U. S. A., filed with the Register to-day, leaves the entire estate of the deceased to his daughter, Mrs. Georganna McDougal, subject to the payment of one dollar to each of the three remaining children. If either of them contests the will they are deluged from receiving anything whatever.

The will of the late Maria T. Linton was also filed. The testatrix leaves to George H. B. White and William Linton, in trust, for Charlotte B. Linton, 42 shares of stock, valued at \$1,100, of the National Metropolitan Bank, standing in her name on the books. In case of the death of Charlotte B. Linton, the stock is to descend to Virginia and Lucian Linton and the children of William Linton.

A third will filed was that of Lee Brown. The deceased leaves his property to his daughter, Sillie Anderson, during life, and at her death to her children.

Solida C. Pendleton, by her will filed in the Register's office to-day, leaves her property and personality to her children and grandchildren.

The Dilke Scandal Settled. LONDON, July 31.—The scandal involving Sir Charles Dilke has been settled so far as the courts and English press are concerned. The settlement has been completed by the cashing of Sir Charles' check for \$125,000 in favor of Mr. Crawford, the aggrieved husband. This puts it out of the power of the papers to mention the right honorable gentleman's name in connection with the subject without incurring heavy penalties for libel, and British morality is appeased because the sinner, although guilty of the awful crime, in the eyes of society, of being found out, has paid handsomely to suppress the truth and to protect the woman whom he led astray.

The B. & O. to New York. NEW YORK, July 31.—The Herald says that a prominent Baltimore & Ohio Railroad official stated yesterday that surveyors are now working selecting a route from Philadelphia to New York for an independent connection for that road in case New York cannot be reached over any of the existing roads.

Killed at a Ball. NASHVILLE, TENN., July 31.—Miss Martha Baker, a well-known lady, was instantly killed at a ball in Rogersville Wednesday night by a bullet from a revolver which fell from a young man's pocket to the floor and was discharged.

A Baltimore Company Robbed. BALTIMORE, Md., July 31.—The offices of the Baltimore Passenger Railway, on the corner of Calvert and Baltimore streets, right in the heart of the city, were entered last night by burglars and robbed of \$1,300.

The B. & M. Telegraph Company Purchased. NEW YORK, July 31.—The Bankers & Merchants' Telegraph Company was today purchased by R. E. S. Stokes, representing the reorganization committee, for \$500,000.

THE COLLECTOR RESIGNED

Throng of Persons Eager to Pay Real Estate, Water and Dog Taxes.

The office of Collector of Taxes Cook was besieged all day by throngs of citizens who wanted to escape the penalties that are imposed on delinquent taxpayers. The real estate owners wanted to save the 2 per cent. penalty that goes on after to-day, and the water-takers were desirous of paying to prevent the Water office from cutting off their water supply.

The owner of the festive canine was largely represented and clamorous for licenses that would protect their watchdogs and pet poodles from the pound-master, who renews his crusade against the dogkind at 4 o'clock to-morrow morning.

The line was larger than was ever seen before, and extended the whole length of the building three times. The old and young of both sexes were present in force, and a couple of policemen were on hand to keep the line in order and checky people from stealing other persons' places.

The receipts of the office were exceptionally large, and the clerks got no lunch.

Supplies for the Marshal's Office. Bids were opened in the Marshal's office to-day for furnishing fuel, ice and stationery. The bidders for fuel were W. H. Mallow, J. H. Killman, J. M. Wheeler, W. H. Barker, H. Burgess, C. C. Walker & Co., John Miller, James E. Miller, Stephen Bros., Johnson Bros. and H. L. Hinkle & Bro., and the bids ranged from \$5.20 to \$14.10 for furnace coal, \$6 to \$9.30 for stove, \$5.20 to \$12.50 for ice, and \$6.80 to \$5 for sawed and split wood, and \$9 to \$17.75 for wood sawed on ice.

For stationery the bidders were J. E. Parker, B. L. Fisher, G. A. Whitaker and C. C. Purcell, and the bids included about a dozen items.

The only bid for ice was from the Great Falls Ice Company, at forty cents per 100 pounds. No awards were made.

Ohio Democrats' Plans. NEW YORK, July 31.—The Sun's Washington special says that the Ohio Democrats have come to an understanding, and unless the present arrangement is broken hardly will be renominated by acclamation and ex-Senator Thurston will be returned to the Senate in case the Legislature is Democratic. All movements in favor of other candidates for Governor are stopped, and the hatchet is buried.

The Prohibition party has plenty of money and good speakers, and will denounce the Republican vote. The Administration takes a peculiar interest in the success of the party in Ohio, and there will be no trouble about Federal patronage. Ohio is the first State to speak since Democratic rule began at Washington.

A Penny Irvania Cyclone. NORRISTOWN, PA., July 31.—A cyclone near Louisville yesterday afternoon tore a pathway thirty feet wide through orchards, destroying everything in its way. Trees were blown down and barns unroofed. The cyclone was preceded by a very severe rain and hail storm, which also did considerable damage.

Jay Gould Enjoying Himself. BAK HARRIS, ME., July 31.—Jay Gould says he is having so pleasant a time that he will remain away from New York longer than he expected. The yacht Atlanta was the scene of festivities yesterday, from seven to ten of the most distinguished visitors in the place being on board as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gould.

Recovered from the Shock. MR. MCGREGOR, N. Y., July 31.—General Jackson and Colonel Beck, who were prostrated by the electric bolt last evening, have completely recovered and both are on duty this morning. A servant in the Grant carriage was so terrified by the nearness of the lightning bolt that she was thrown into a hysterical state.

The Saratoga Races. SARATOGA, July 31.—The weather is warmer to-day and there is a larger attendance. The track is heavy.

First race, 1 mile, 2:10. Second race, 1 mile, 2:10. Third race, 1 mile, 2:10. Fourth race, 1 mile, 2:10. Fifth race, 1 mile, 2:10. Sixth race, 1 mile, 2:10. Seventh race, 1 mile, 2:10. Eighth race, 1 mile, 2:10. Ninth race, 1 mile, 2:10. Tenth race, 1 mile, 2:10.

Where People Go. E. M. Watson and C. F. Larabee of the Indian Bureau were in St. Paul last Monday.

Lieutenant William W. Gibson, Third Artillery, was in New York yesterday from West Point.

J. C. Starkweather, F. C. Harris, and Mr. Orlando O. Stealey were in New York yesterday from here.

Justice Joseph P. Bradley of the United States Supreme Court is registered at the Fifth Avenue Hotel, New York city.

Mrs. Thomas Cropley and family returned from Piney Point yesterday on account of the serious illness of her youngest child.

Mr. Charles Hallock, formerly of Field, Forest and Stream, well known here, has gone to Alaska to tell of the fishing and hunting there.

Lieutenant-Commander Eugene W. Watson and Mrs. Watson left the Norfolk Navy-Yard yesterday morning with their children for the Virginia Natural Bridge.

Commander Richard P. Leary, commanding the Wyandotte at the Navy-Yard here, left yesterday for Norfolk, Va., for duty.

Pay Director John Scott Cunningham, U. S. N., who visited his home here for a day or two, left last night for Philadelphia. He will go to New York to attend the Grant funeral.

General G. T. Beauregard, with his sister, Mrs. Prescott, and his grandchildren Lillian and Dorothea Larendou, have gone from New Orleans to the mountains of Western North Carolina, near Asheville.

General Ben. Le Fevre, the round Representative from Western Ohio, arrived here yesterday. He wants political barbed-wire fences put up in his district to keep off the Republicans away from the postoffices.

AWAITING BURIAL

CONTINUED PREPARATIONS FOR THE GENERAL'S OBSEQUES.

The Remains Viewed by Private Friends To-day. A Heavy Thunderstorm on Mount McGregor. The Selection of Pallbearers Arranging for the Ceremonies at Albany—General Grant's Birthplace.

MR. MCGREGOR, N. Y., July 31.—There will be no public exposure of the remains to-day, but permission will be granted to a few intimate friends to view the remains. Jesse Grant in an interview to-day, said that the statement that he was going as an engineer to the river Euphrates was news to him. He thinks it possible that business interests will oblige him to go to California to reside after a few months.

Said General J. A. J. Creswell: "The last time I saw General Grant," said General Creswell, "was a year ago last spring at Fortress Monroe. I could not bear to see him suffer, and as I could not relieve him any, I did not go to him during his sickness. We talked at Fortress Monroe of the Fitz John Porter case, and General Grant, with the aid of a diagram he drew, explained to me why he had reversed his opinion. He thought that in his first opinion he had done Porter a wrong, and no man was readier than he to acknowledge an error, when a meener spirit would have tried to conceal it."

When Colonel Grant, before his father's body was finally enclosed in the coffin, touched it with his hands and lips for the last time, he placed in the coat pocket a letter from Mrs. Grant addressed to her husband. It contained the simple words:

Forever till we meet again in a better world.

With it was also enclosed a lock of her hair. The letter is intended as a response to that which was found in the General's pocket after his death, addressed to Mrs. Grant, and which is known to be so precious to her. A lock of his hair, too, she will always carry.

THE ALBANY DRAPINGS. The State Government the Victim of Great Extortion.

ALBANY, N. Y., July 31.—An instance of the extortion usually practiced when the Government foots the bill has already come to light in the bill presented yesterday for draping the Capitol. The draping consists of 4,000 yards of bunting and the bill asks for \$300. The services of the decorators and a boy to measure the cloth are valued at \$10 per day each. It is probable that Controller Chapman will throttle the bill when it reaches him.

A DISGRACEFUL STORY. It is circulated that \$2,000 has been offered for the catafalque in which will rest the remains of General Grant by New York parties, presumably for exhibition throughout the country at so much per head. The cost of the structure was about \$50.

ARRANGEMENTS IN ALBANY. General Carr has ordered out the third division to take part in the parade here. The Governor returned from the State camp last evening, and will devote his entire attention to the details of the funeral obsequies. The city has succeeded in arranging to pay for carriage roses for the aldermen and drapery for the City Hall. The preparations are progressing as rapidly as possible, and will be completed by Sunday.

THE FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS. The Final Preparations for the Grant Obsequies.

NEW YORK, July 31.—E. C. Mann of Lawrence, Mass., has written Mayor Grace, suggesting that engraved certificates, bearing the likeness and autograph of General Grant, be issued as mementoes to subscribers for the proposed monument. It is arranged to have the funeral car drawn by twenty-four black horses instead of thirty-eight. The change was decided upon by General Hancock. Each horse will bear along black net, reaching nearly to the ground. There were so many visitors at Riverside Park yesterday that a rope had to be stretched to prevent the crowd interfering with the movements of the workmen. The flooring of the temporary vault is finished. Work on the superstructure begins to-day.

General Hancock has not indicated yet the maximum number of men that he will be able to handle, but military men who have discussed the matter agree in believing that he will never attempt to march 100,000 men or more, as has been talked of. Experience with big parades in this city has shown that it takes a lively movement for 6,000 men to pass a given point in an hour, and even at that rate it would take 20,000 men more than eight hours to round the corner of Fourteenth street and Fifth avenue. If the funeral procession started promptly at 9 o'clock in the morning, which is quite improbable, it would be snuffed before the rear end of it would reach the tomb. However, one of General Hancock's aides said yesterday that with the large number of disciplined troops that will be in line he thought that there would be no difficulty in handling 20,000 men. This was making no allowance for carriages. It is expected that at least 25,000 Grand Army men will wait places.

Among the additional aides to General Hancock in the funeral procession on August 5th are E. Byrd Brigadier-General Robert E. Patterson, Philadelphia; Brevet Brigadier-General J. C. Talbot, Fort Monroe, and Francis A. Walker, Boston. The orders to the Loyal Legion instruct all commanders to assemble in New York at 10:30 a. m. on August 5th, wearing dark suits, white gloves, crapes on the left arm and the insignia of the order.

Commodore Corbora of the American Yacht Club wrote to General Hancock that if the proposition to bring the body down the river by boat was accepted the fleet would furnish its escort. General Hancock replied: "Your suggestions have a precedent in the transportation of General Montgomery's remains from Quebec via the Hudson half a century ago. Time is passing rapidly and not sufficient remains to change the

ORDER OF PROGRAMME

The railroad route has been selected and the train is being draped, and it is now too late to change the programme."

General Hancock suggests, however, that the American Yacht Club could make an effective addition to the funeral procession by being present on the ship on the river when the line of march first approaches the Hudson, and following it thence to a point opposite the place of interment. This suggestion will probably be adopted, not only by the American Yacht Club, but by hundreds of other craft, and the result will be an imposing naval display off Riverside Park.

All members of the Army of the Potomac who present themselves in bodies will be assigned places in the line. Provision will also be made for companies from the Armies of the Cumberland and Tennessee. General Hancock to-day issued the necessary orders sending Major Jackson, of the Fifth Artillery, to Mr. McGregor to command the guard of honor, and sending from Fort Adams, R. I., a detachment with four guns for firing salutes.

Last night about 7 o'clock there was a burst of thunder at Mount McGregor. Mr. Linneken, member of the Brooklyn Post guarding General Grant's remains, received a very severe shock. He nearly fell over upon the coffin, at the end of which he was standing. The lights in the room went out at the same time. The shock was so light, however, that no one in the cottage at the time was disturbed. It was afterward discovered that the bolt did considerable damage to the Drexel cottage. The plastering in one of the upper rooms was knocked off and the furniture of the same room was much disarranged. In the hotel several people felt the shock, but no one was injured. At the station General Jackson and Colonel Beck, U. S. A., were prostrated by the shock. They were carried to the hotel and attended by Dr. Douglas, who says that they are not injured at all seriously.

General Hancock has written to the secretary of the Association of Veterans of the Mexican War, inviting that organization to occupy a place in the Grant funeral procession.

General Grant's Pallbearers. The President, yesterday, by request of Mrs. Grant, selected the following pallbearers for General Grant's funeral: General Sherman, General Sheridan, Admiral Porter, Vice-Admiral Rowan, General Joseph E. Johnston, General Backus, General Fish, George S. Boutwell, George W. Childs, John A. Logan, George Jones, Oliver Hoyt. The Army is represented by Generals Sherman and Sheridan, the two officers who were most intimately associated with General Grant during the war and in whom he had the greatest confidence. The Navy is represented by Admirals Porter and Rowan, both of whom rendered distinguished services during the war. Of the ex-Confederate officers, General Johnston was held in high esteem by the Union commander, who regarded his military abilities as equal, if not superior, to those of Lee. General Backus was General Grant's classmate at West Point, and the first Confederate officer who surrendered to him during the war. He was also the last who had an extended interview with General Grant before his death, and he told the pathetic narrative of the General's thankfulness that full reconciliation between the Confederate and Union soldiers had been accomplished. Hon. Hamilton Fish and ex-Senator Boutwell were both members of General Grant's Cabinet when he was President, and Senator John A. Logan was one of the General's most devoted officers during the war and one of his most valued personal friends. Besides, he is a Senator from General Grant's State, Illinois. Mr. George W. Childs was one of General Grant's nearest and dearest friends.

It is stated that the reason for omitting the names of ex-Presidents Hayes and Arthur from the list